



PATENT APPLICATION Navy Case 80172

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Shaw et al.

Serial No. 09/653413

Examiner: Maniwang

Filed: August 31, 2000

Group Art Unit: 2142

For: A DISTRIBUTED OBJECT-ORIENTED GEOSPATIAL INFORMATION

DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM AND METHOD THEREFOR

## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. SECTION 1. THECEIVED

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, DC 20231

MAR 0 8 2004

Technology Center 2100

Sir:

This amendment and remarks are made in response to the Office Action of October 27, 2003. This amendment is made is made in order to place this case in condition for allowance or to place the case in better form for consideration on appeal. For the purposes of this amendment, the claims pending in the case are newly added claims 23-44. The applicant is now cancelling the originally pending claims 1-22.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

03/04/2004 JBALINAN 00000156 500281

09653413

01 FC:1251

110.00 DA

03/04/2004 JBALINAN 00000156 500281 09653413

02 FC:1201 03 FC:1202 602.00 DA 36.00 DA

1

PTO/SB/17 (01-03)
Approved for use through 04/30/2003. OMB 0651-0032
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no Persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

## FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2004

Effective 0110112003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 **TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT** (\$) 748.00

SUBMITTED BY

Name (PrintlType)

Signature

John J. Karasek

Complete if Known  Application Number 09/653,413  Filing Date August 31, 2000  First Named Inventor Shaw  Examiner Name Maniwang FEB 2 5 2004 W			
Application Number	09/653,413		
Filing Date	August 31, 2000	OIP	E
First Named Inventor	Shaw	7	74
Examiner Name	Maniwang	FEB 25	2004 یا
Art Unit	2142	VP.	2FF
Attorney Docket No.	80,172	(W)	1981

(Complete (if applicable)

Date

Telephone (202) 404-1552

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)	FEE CALCULATION (continued)		
Check Credit card Money Other None	3. ADDITI	ONAL FEES	1
Order Order	Large Entity	Small Entity	
Deposit Account:  Deposit	Fee Fee	Fee Fee Fee Description	1
Account 50-0281	Code (\$) 1051 130	Code (\$)  2051 65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	ı
Number Deposit	1051 130	2052 25 Surcharge - late filling fee or oath	
Account NAVAL RESEARCH LABORATORY	1052 50	cover sheet	
The Commissioner is authorized to: (check all that apply)	1053 130	1053 130 Non-English specification	
Charge fee(s) indicated below Credit any overpayments	1812 2,520	1812 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
Charge any additional fee(s) during the pendency of this application	1804 920*	1804 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
harge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee to the above-identified deposit account.	1805 1,840*	1805 1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
FEE CALCULATION	1251 110	2251 55 Extension for reply within first month	
1. BASIC FILING FEE	1252 420	2252 205 Extension for reply within second month	
Large Entity Small Entity	1253 950	2253 465 Extension for reply within third month	1
Fee Fee Fee Fee Description Fee Paid Code (\$)   Code (\$)	1254 1480	2254 725 Extension for reply within fourth month	1
1001 770   2001 375   Utility filing fee	1255 2010	2255 985 Extension for reply within fifth month	ı
1002 340 2002 165 Design filling fee	1401 330	2401 160 Notice of Appeal	ı
1003 530 2003 260 Plant filing fee	1402 330	2402 160 Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1004 770 2004 375 Reissue filing fee	1403 290	2403 140 Request for oral hearing	
1005 160 2005 80 · Provisional filing fee	1451 1,510	1451 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding	.
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)	1452 110	2452 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable	$\mathcal{L}$
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	1453 1,330	2453 650 Petition to revive - unintention	·٢
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE	1501 1,330	2501 650 Utility issue fee (or reissue) 3503 235 Design issue fee	a
Extra Claims below Fee Paid  Total Claims $22$ -20- = $2$ $\chi$ $18.00$ .36.00	1502 480	2502 235 Design issue fee MAR ( 8 200	1
Independent 10 - 3- = 7 x 86.00 602.00	1503 640	2503 315 Plant issue fee	410
Claims X 200.00 1002.00 Multiple Dependent	1460 130	1460 130 Petitions to the Commission ECHNOLOGY CENTER	411
	1807 50	1807 50 Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
Large Entity   Small Entity Fee Fee   Fee Fee   Fee Description	1806 180	1806 180 Submission of information Disclosure Stmt	. 1
Code (\$) Code (\$) 1202 18 2202 9 Claims in excess of 20	8021 40	8021 40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1201 86 2201 42 Independent claims in excess of 3	1809 770	2809 375 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
1203 290 2203 140 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	1810 770	2810 375 For each additional invention to be	1
1204 86 2204 42 Reissue independent claims over original patent	1801 770	examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))  2801 375 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	1
1205 18 2205 9 Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	1802 900	1802 900 Request for expedited examination of a design application	
	Other fee (sp		
SUBTOTAL (2) (\$) 638.00  • *or number previously paid, if greater, For Reissues, see above	٠,	Basic Filing Fee Paid SUBTOTAL (3) (\$) 110.00	

-WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.

Registration No.

36,182

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.17 and 1.27. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 12 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. **SEND TO:** Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.